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DENIAL

RESOLUTION NO. A-

WHEREAS, D&A Properties, LLC, hereinafter Appellant, is constructing a child daycare building located at 8310 Wendall Way; and
WHEREAS, said building contains 8,800 sq. ft. of gross floor area as defined in

Lincoln Municipal Code § 27.82.040; and

WHEREAS, the Impact Fee Administrator calculated the arterial street impact fees for this use based upon the gross floor area using the arterial street impact fee schedule beginning January 1, 2004 for daycare center (\$2,702 per 1,000 sq. ft.); and

WHEREAS, the Appellant filed its notice of appeal appealing the impact fee determination and requesting that the arterial street impact fees be waived or reduced as Appellant's use will be a valuable economic development for the City which will be lost as the cost of paying the impact fees will over-extend the financial abilities of the Appellant and that strict application of the impact fee ordinance's calculations under these circumstances work an unjust and undue burden on the Appellant; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the impact fee was correctly calculated and that there are no unusual circumstances of the development which demonstrate that the application of the fee to the development would be unfair or unjust as the requested waiver or reduction based upon economic hardship does not meet any of the stipulations or conditions required for reduction in or exemption from arterial street impact fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska:

1	That the impact fee notice of appeal filed by D&A Properties, LLC on September
2	30, 2004 is hereby denied for the following reasons:
3	1. The impact fee ordinance requires the arterial street impact fee to be
4	calculated based upon the gross floor area of the building.
5	2. Appellant's argument is no different than other users could make.
6	3. The arterial street impact fee schedule is based upon the ITE traffic
7	generation manual. In the manual the most common characterization for uses is based
8	upon gross floor area. The daycare center trip rate has been calculated based upon 61
9	traffic count studies nationwide for daycare center uses and accurately reflects the
10	impact of the Appellant's proposed use.
11	4. The requested exemption does not meet any of the stipulations or
12	conditions required for reduction or exemption from arterial street impact fees.
	Introduced by:
	Approved as to Form & Legality:
	City Attorney
	Approved this day of, 2004: